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PROBABLE CANDIDATES ARE BECOMING KNOWN

Center of Interest in Controller and Recorder Offices

ALL PARTIES WATCHING

Republicans, Progressives and Democrats Keeping Weather Eye on Affairs

Political plums ripe for plucking in Washington county with the kind permission of an indulgent people are furnishing office aspirants some source of worry these days. Candidates on various parties are looming up in anticipation of forthcoming developments, and when they go to the primaries on September 16 asking for recognition, nearly every one of them will counter stiff opposition.

Perhaps the most desirable plum fluttering before the eyes of the politicians of the county is that of county controller, with that of recorder bearing almost as much close watching. Everybody that is watching affairs is casting anxious glances towards the present controller, John H. Moffitt, who is to make the run for office with the progressives.

The republicans have just four names so far to consider for controller with a faint prospect of more being added to the batting order. Of course they are all in the class known as "being mentioned by their friends." Nevertheless, it is understood that they are safe bets. The four are: Tom Underwood of California; Charles Richey, the present deputy controller; Wilbur Wallace, of Washington ,and John C. Morgan, of Canonsburg, former county treasurer.

As stated Moffitt is likely to make the run with the progressives and it is rumored he will be the only one in progressive pasture asking first aid at the pimaries. The democrats have two who would be willing to have the job of controller thrust upon the, W. H. Ecker and J. Wunfield Reed, both of the county seat.

For recorder the present incumbent J. C. Sutherland has announced. It is understood that H. O. Campsey of Claysville, will make a run for nomination on the republican ticket. The democrats have their eye fixed steadfastly on this plum with Joseph W. Martin, of Washington late of California, as the only candidate in the field so far. Martin missed being elected to the office of prothonotary at the last election by a plurality so wee that it was hard to see,and thinks he can by running on a one-term platform stand a good chance of election if nominated and nomination looks like a cinch for him. The progressive candidate for recorder will probably be Alex Young who is now connected with the recorder's office.

R. C. Buchanan and a gentleman by the name of Adams are rumored to be the only republican candidates mentioned so far for director of the poor. The progressive possibility is Harry Huston, of Lone Pine. A new figure may cast his democratic hat into the ring in the person of G. J. Hanna, of North Strabane for this job. For jury commissioner a democratic hope is William MacLoney, of Hopewell.

While affairs at the county seat are beginning to warm up a trifle, primary talk is still somewhat guarded, and there is a possibility of other announcements being made, or even of some of those who have been mentioned of withdrawing.

Ask Grades be Prepared

Property Holders on Fallowfield Avenue Want to Know Width

The width of sidewalks along Fallowfield avenue from Ninth street, north to the point below Tenth where paving is being extended to, is a matter that is compelling the attention of property owners. Some are favorable to six foot sidewalks and others are favorable to eight foot walks. The engineer's department has been asked to give a sidewalk grade, but until such time that the property holders can come to some conclusion as to the width of sidewalk desired, it is probable the matter of furnishing the grade will be delayed.

MONEY IS HELD UP BY POWELL

Auditor General Refuses to Allow General Appropriations

CREATES A SENSATION

Payments of millions of dollars appropriated by the last General Assembly in the general appropriation bill to departments and branches of the State government created since the adoption of the constitution of 1873 will be held up by Auditor General Archibald W. Powell until he is satisfied on two legal questions:

First, whether they are legally a part of the executive branch of the State government, not having been mentioned in the constitution, which involves the question whether the Legislature can create departments by statute.

Second, what are the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of the State government, which involves the question whether the appropriations for road building, construction and maintenance of tuberculosis sanitariums, maintenance of the State Police force, the funds for establishment of the new public service commission, the $35,000 emergency appropriation for the Gettysburg semi-centennial celebration and similar items are to be so considered.

No more drastic action has been taken by an auditor general of the State since the office was created, and the effects may be far reaching. The auditor general declined to make a formal statement but gave out letters which he said explained his attitude and intimates that he feels that the

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THREE BURNED WHEN GASOLINE EXPLODES; ONE MAN MAY DIE

Lemuel Hawkins Believed to be Fatally Burned--Dr. Minor H. Day and an Assistant Machinist Are Hurt

One man was so badly burned that he will likely die and two others sustained serious injuries this morning at 8:30 o'clock when a can of gasoline exploded at the Donora Auto Garage at Donora.

The Burned.

Lemuel Hawkins, aged 34, married employed as a machinist. Burned about body. Taken to Memorial hospital at Monongahela. Will likely die.

Stephen Mancho, aged 18, single, assistant machinest, burned about head and shoulders. Taken home. Not seriously burned.

Dr. Minor H. Day, seriously burned about face and shoulders and about his hands and forearms. Taken home.

Hawkins and Mancho were engaged at work on a car and Dr. Day was watching them. A can of gasoline upset. The gasoline spread over the floor and by accident a match was dropped. Instantly there was an explosion of the gasoline on the floor and in the can. Hawkins got the full force, but the others were farther away and were not as badly burned as the machinist.

NEWSPAPER MEN ARE ENTERTAINED AT PARK

Second Annual Groundhog Supper Given in Honor to Members of the Monongahela Valley Press Association

Newspaper men who are members of the Monongahela Valley Press Association and a few especially invited friends were entertained by Manager T. P. Sloan and Assistant Manager Roy Sharpnack at the second annual groundhog supper at Eldora Park Tuesday evening. The "feed" was served under the capable direction of Mrs. Sloan at the park restaurant. There were about 20 in the party that at 7:30 seated themselves at the table.

A menu that was rich in seasonable delicacies and in appetizing dishes best appreciated by the usually hungry newspaper man was presented. It was as follows:

Turtle Soup

Stuffed Olives — Pickles

Aardvak with Sweet Potatoes

Mashed Potatoes

Schwein

Potato Salad — Pepper Relish

Ice Cream

Pie — Cake

Coffee — Cigars

After the supper adjournment was taken to the Sloan bungalow and there the newspaper men enjoyed themselves with stories and conversation. "Tip" Wickerham, the efficient chief pat olman of the Eldora park force who is a natural born story teller related some of his best. Nearly every one present, at the solicitation of Mr. Sloan, who proved a kind host, took some part in the entirely informal program. Capt. E. W. Hartland of the Tenth regiment, who was one of the guests spoke of the need of unity among all organizations and started a little shop talk by telling the newspaper men he rejoiced to see them meeting in harmony to discuss their business cares and worries. H. L. Lamb of the California Sentinel was prevailed upon to serve as chairman and several good ideas were brought of interest to the newspapers.

The party adjourned after 10 o'clock. Those who enjoyed the evening supper were: H. L. Lamb, A. H. Lamb, C. L. Hudson, of California; L. M. Truxal, Belle Vernon; Joe T. S. Cowan, Roscoe; H. R. Pore, G. C. Deihl, Monessen; W. G. Gibson, L. E. Flint, Monongahela; Louis Goaziou, Harry E. Price and Floyd Chalfant, Charleroi; D. M. McCloskey, M. T. Crowley, Roy S. Sharpnack, Tom P. Sloan, Cornelius Buchanan, Charleroi, Capt, E. Hartland and "Tip" Wickerham.

MARRIED TUESDAY; TAKING TRIP NOW

W. B. Pfleghardt and Bride to Spend Honeymoon in Adirondacs

At Duquesne on Tuesday William B. Pfleghardt, of Charleroi and Miss Pauline Minford of Duquesne were quietly married. They left after the wedding in the evening for a honeymoon trip to the Adirondack mountains in New York state, where they will spend two weeks. They will reside in Charleroi upon their return. Their place of esridence is to be on Washington avenue and Third street.

The bride has been a principal in one of the Duquesne schools. She

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UNION SERVICES ARE ANNOUNCED

Local Churches to Join During August Under an Original Plan

By unanimous agreement of the churches concerned there will be union services of the English speaking Protestant churches of Charleroi during the month of August. A program for the services has been arranged by the ministers.

The first meeting will be on the evening of August 3 in the First Presbyterian church when Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor of the First Christian church will have charge and preach. The second Sunday night, August 10.

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HITCHING ON STREETS NOT TO BE PERMITTED

Rowdies at Beallsville

Burgess Posts Notices That He will not Tolerate Sunday Law Violation

Burgess J. Frank Fitzsimmons has posted notices about Beallsville to the effect that Sunday rowdiness in the borough must stop at once. Frequent complaints have been made to the burgess that quite a bit of rowdiness has been going on in the borough on Sunday and he has determined to stop it.

If attention is not paid the notices arrests will follow as the practice, it is stated has become very annoying.

BURLESON IN WRONG PERHAPS

Senate Wants to Know About Parcel Post Changes

QUESTION AUTHORITY

Plans which had been announced by Postmaster General Burleson for extension, improvement nd reduction in rates of the parcel post may go astray in spite of the fact that changes were definitely stated to go into effect August 15. The committee on postoffices and postroads of the United States Senate has requested the postmaster general to appear before it to answer the question as to where he gets his authority for his announced changes.

What the senate committee professes its inability to understand is where the postmaster general figures out he can declare a reduction in rates without conferring with congress or at least with the Interstate Commerce Commisison. Yet the members of the committee agree that the postmaster general can declare an increase should he take a notion, provided the increase is deemed necessary for purpose of revenue. Some members of the committee defending him insist by the parcel post law the postmaster general has the right to change rates and zones in any way that will "promote the service to the public."

The whole affair will be fought out Thursday of this week at Washington, and upon the result of the conference then will rest the final outcome if Postmaster General Burleson's plans.

The Bargain Lots.

That we have on sale are going fast. Four sold in one day. If you are going to take advantage of this special offer you had better see us at once. Charleroi Real Estate AgencyCo., Ross Building, 411 Mckean Ave. 8-tf

Council Instructs Police Department to Enforce Law

PETITION NOT RECEIVED

Meeting to be Held Again on Friday to Consider McKean Avenue Affair

People are not to be permitted to hitch their horses along the streets when hitching grounds are provided in Charleroi. At a meeting of council Tuesday evening action was taken embodying instructions to Chief of Police C. W. Albright and the police department to keep the streets free. A campaign in this direction was started last Saturday night, when Fallowfield avenue and other streets which have been made hitching places were cleared. There are two hitching grounds provided in Charleroi with accommodations for 80 teams.

The meeting of council was a special meeting called principally for the purpose of hearing a petition on the paving of McKean avenue south from First street to the borough line at Maple Creek. This petition it seemed was not ready and council did not receive it. As has been stated before this street is one that the state will help in improving. Arrangements were made to hold a meeting Friday night at which time the petition will probably be ready and received.

Two ordinances passed first reading. One was for establishing and re-establishing the grade of Crest avenue from Fourth street to a point 108 feet north of Fourth street, and the other was establishing the grade of Fourth street between Crest avenue and Oakland avenue. Residents along the two points referred to in the ordinance had asked for grades. Several were present at the meeting asking for sidewalk grades and for information.

Fire Chief J. M Fleming was instructed to procure two patent couplings for hose.

Fifth street at the corner of McKean avenue was decided upon as the location for the new water fountain donated by the Charleroi Water company. The fountain which had already been received will be returned and another ordered.

President W. R. Gaut was in the chair and councilmen present were: W. H Calvert, Oscar C. Linn, J. K. Rickey, and Frank Riva.

WINDOWS BROKEN ALONG DIVISION BY COKE THROWERS

Railroad officers of the Monongahela division P. R. R. it is stated are engaged to locate people guilty last Saturday night of breaking windows at various points by throwing coal and coke from passing trains. Windows were broken at places in Allenport, at North Charleroi, at Monongahela and at one or two other points. At New Eagle the Robinson Machine company suffered. Twenty light glasses were broken in the machine plant and two large lights were broken in the office. W. F. Dean the night watchman narrowly escaped being seriously injured with a large piece of coke came crashing through the office window near which he was sitting.

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LOCAL AGENCIES

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RECKLESS AUTOMOBILING

The secretary of state of New York in a report just made public presents startling facts and figures in regard to automobile accidents. After going over the entire situation in his state this gentleman, whose name is May, says the accidents in the main are not due to the machine itself but to the reckless and often inexperienced drivers who do not realize the speed power and resulting momentum of an automobile, says the Washington Reporter.

"Investigation has shown," declares Mr. May, "that the primary reason for accidents has been careless and reckless driving, involving a violation of both the rules of the road and of common sense. Motorists frequently assume desperate chances when driving at a high rate of speed past crossways, sharp curves. school houses, horse drawn vehicles, trolley cars or over wet pavements and bridges.

"If a locomotive engineer, whose path of travel is confined to tracks, should happen to be any but a skilled driver, what a howl of protest would naturally arise and yet many more dangers lie in the unrestricted right of way of a motor vehicle operator. As for the deliberate, reckless driver, he is a serious public menace and must be eliminated by the strong arm method before he causes more injury to others, as well as to himself, both of which must eventually happen."

The Reporter has frequently called attention to this matter of careless and reckless driving of automobiles. In fact some people seem to think that this paper has overdone the matter a trifle. But this is a thing involving the lives and well being of the people of this community.

It is not that every person driving an automobile is reckless. But even the owners of automobiles will admit that there are persons driving automobiles right here in Washington who constitute a public menace on the steets.

The automobile is here to stay and it has a rightful place in the scheme of things. But it must be used and not misused.

A FLYLESS TOWN.

The very pretty city of Redlands, California, lays claim to the distinction of being the only "flyess town" in the United States. The fly problem was attacked there more than a year ago. but it is not because of more vigo ous swatting in Redlands than elsewhere that the city has acquired fame, remarks the Wheeling Register.

The mayor of Redlands believes in fly-swatting, but his observation has convinced him of the folly of swatting in one house when conditions favorable to breeding of flies are allowed to exist in the house next door. So while encouraging swatting he took steps to get at the root of the e vil by destroying the breeding places of flies and then appointed a municipal fly-catcher who constructed a device in the form of a street snare. It consists of a screened frame a foot wide and two feet high, which is regularly bated to trap the pests, permitting the fly-catcher to come around once a day or oftener to empty the traps and re-bait them.

A report for September, 1912, the first month of the Redlands experiment, showed that 3,750,000 flies were caught and killed in one hundred traps. The results proved so satisfactory that the number of street traps was increased, and today there are more than five hundred of them, and Redlands boasts that there are fewer flies per capita in that city than in any other city in the United States. If that claim is admitted it might be well for municipalities to study Redland's methods with a view to their general adoption. The system is in expensive and well worth a trial at least.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

A New York policeman kicks at being robbed. Either he must be an inexperienced cop or is violating a confidence.

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A Pittsburg policeman is charged with shooting a blue herron. But how was a Pittsburg policeman to know the difference between a blue heron and a bird of prey.

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Some discussion is taking place over which is the proper word to use —"mad" or "angry." Answer is both, though if the other fellow is to use either we would prefer it "angry."

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The concensus of opinion has shifted so that about all that Secretary Bryan can be accused of now is that of being a good advertiser.

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Why not have a vote taken on the most popular girl. and let her be the investigating committee to probe the ice cream trade.

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The question, what classification of occupation does "sport" belong to is agitating the minds of Charleroi folks. Anyhow it is a class by itself.

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No Genevieve, getting close calls isn't exactly in our line, though we sametimes think so.

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It is announced that Huerta is doomed and Mexico is verging upon civil war. Had the announcement been that Mexico was verging upon internal peace, there might have been some surprise occasioned.

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If the publication is started of pictures of senators and representatives involved in the lobby research it won't be long until everybody has a complete gallery.

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When woman suffrage comes into fashion a town will know what to do with its widows. It can elect them mayor, turnabout.

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For general use a sharp tongue is almost as effective a weapon as a hat pin.

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Warm weather is predicted on September 16, election day.

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To be vindicated is all right, bot how much nicer it would be not to have done anything to be vindicated for.

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Some men who never make any enemies never make anything else.

Dinner and supper will be served in the basement of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian Church Saturday, July 26 for the benefit of the Boys Brigade. Tickets 35 cents. 7-t2

PICKED UP IN PASSING

As a man entered a picture gallery the attendant tapped him on the shoulder says the Altoona Tribune, and pointing to a small cur that followed him said:

"Dogs are not admitted."

"That's not my dog," replied the visitor.

"But he follows you."

"So you do," replied the old gentleman sharply.

The attendant growled and removed the dog with entirely unnecessary violence.

Even a lawyer is prone to complain of too hard work. But to takes a space writer or a newspaper man to take his lot philosophically Roy K. Moulton, a space writer for the Philadelphia Star tells why he is glad he is poor in the Star in the following verse:

When bills come due, I think by jing,
I'd like to be a prince or king
Or some rich foreign potentate,
Instead of poundin' this machine
With throbbin' brow and spirits mean
And bein' paid at liner rate
But still no feller ever flings
A bomb at me as at the kings,
Although I may deserve the fate.

Whene'er an auto hastens by,
I fetch a deep and jealous sigh,
And keep on grindin' all the while
I never get a chance to go
In a nauto fifteen miles or so
Or put on any style.
But while the folks are bein' spilled,
I never am among the killed,
And that consoles me quite a pile.

I read of yachts upon the bay
That cruise in a majestic way,
And take in all the winds that blow
Most everybody else can sail
But I must labor, without fail,
A-knockink out a dime or so.
But when a yacht turns upside down
I'm never one of those to drown,
I never have a chance to go.

It's mighty nice to play with wealth
And travel in pursuit of health
But when the autos blow sky-high
And railroad trains are wrecked by gee
And steamboats sink, far out at sea
Without a chance of rescue nigh,
And other things go to the bad
I'm always pretty gol durn glad
That I can prove an alibi.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Miss Jessie Speers and Miss Elizabeth Elliott left this morning in the former's auto on a trip to Moutain Lake Park, Md.

Frank J. John will leave tonight for Cleveland, Ohio, on a few days' business trip.

Miss Lorna Ryan of Toronto, Ohio, is planning to return home tomorrow after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. John, on Lincoln a venue. She will be accompanied to Pittsburg by Miss Marguerite Whitlatch.

George Clark and John Beisel were visitors in Monongahela Tuesday evening.

Miss Emma Smallbaugh and Miss Jennie Smallbaugh have gone to Tarentum to spend a vacation.

Miss Kinsley of Pittsburg is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Nutt of Washington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis McCook, Jr., of Third street left today for Atlantic City, Spring Lake, N. J. and Niagara Falls, N. Y., to spend a month. In September they will visit Mr. McCook's parents Mr. and Mrs. Willis McCook of Fifth avenue, Pittsburg at their summer home, "Bagnell Hall," Cobourg, Canada.

Miss Mytle Norris of Wilkinsburg and Miss Margaret Arnold of Glassport; Miss Annette Norris and Misses Marie and Eleanor Sigel of Emsworth have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis McCook, Jr., of Third street.

Miss Dorothy Elscher left today for Atlantic City where she will spend a vacation.

Miss M. P. Wiseman has gone to Detroit, Mich., to visit.

J. A. Henderson are going today to J. A. Anderson are going today to Bentleyville, where they will remain at camp some days.

ENJOY MOTOR BOAT OUTING

A motor boat outing was taken by a party of North Charleroi young folks Tuesday evening in the motor boat, "Pansy," owned by E. O. Davis of the steamer Slackwater. The party was chaperoned by Mr. Davis as engineer of the boat and A. B. West as pilot. A trip was taken up the Monongahela and return. In the party were Misses Bell, Garnet and Stella Crabb and Miss Lillian Metz. The "Pansy" is a new motor boat designed and constructed by Mr. Davis himself.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Published That All May Know and Have Equal Advantage

READ CAREFULLY CONSIDER!

The German-American Doctors will open in Monessen on July 24th at 9 a. m at 477 Donner avenue The special offer commences at that time and the first 100 patients that call on Thursday will be treated free (medicine excepted.)

For many years the German-American Doctors have successfully practiced their profession of treating chronic, nervous, complicated and special diseases of men, women and children, therefore experience, combined with the latest German-American treatment, together with the necessary appliances, is the reason of their success and why they are successful in treating complicated and special diseases of men and women of years' standing, when other forms of treatment have failed.

The treatments used by the Doctors are as follows:

The wonderful direct treatments, such as serums, antitoxins, and intravenous medication (in such cases where the Doctors consider this form of treatment required) this includes the latest successful German treatment, which has cured in one treatment cases of years' standing, which had absolutely failed to find a cure in other form of treatment.

The Doctors also use the famous German discovery the Bi Chemic treatment, famous for the relief it has given when applied in such cases, where the chemical constituents of the body are lacking.

Perhaps you will ask yourself: Why is it necessary to have so many different kinds of treatments? The answer is this: Treating chronic, nervous, complicated and special diseases of men, women and children is a science and specialty within itself, and is entirely different from treating acute diseases. As you well know, an acute disease, such as typhoid fever, pneumonia, scarlet fever, etc., runs a definite course, and by skillful medical treatment and nursing, the patient in most cases recovers.

While on the other hand, chronic, nervous and special diseases go on indefnitely, and the patient continues to suffer more and more and in hundreds of cases suffers for years and lives a living death, the original disease causing complications of other organs, which are neglected, or the proper treatment cannot be had, the patient finally dies, glad to be relieved even by death of the suffering and agony he or she has endured for years.

By a careful consideration of the above, you can readily see the importance of the various forms of treatments and how essential and necessary it is, not only for the physician to be able to give to the sufferer the proper treatment or treatments required, but it is just as important for the sufferer to know where such treatments can be obtained and to take advantage of them.

Remember, the first 100 curable cases that call commencing Thursday, July 24th 9 a. m. will be treated free (medicines and electricity excepted.)

Office hours, 9 a. m to 9 at night, daily and Sundays.

Special hours for ladies 1 to 5 p. m.

Men if you cannot call during the day call at night before 9 o'clock. Offices 477 Donner avenue, Monessen, Pa. 8-t1-adv

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Notice.

In re petition of Margaret Lee to be made a feme sole trader. In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Penna.

Notice is herby given that Margaret Lee, wife of Leslie Lee, of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, has presented her petition to the court for a decree and certificate authorizing and empowering her to transact business as a feme sole trader, and that the said petition will be considered by the court on Monday, the 18th. day of August, 1913, at ten o'clock a. m. at which time all parties interested may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

A. V. Lewis,
Prothonotary

Hugh E. Fergus,
Attorney. J-23-30-A-6

MONEY IS HELD UP BY POWELL

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question must be settled. This is taken to mean that the supreme court will be called upon to determine the propositions. As the supreme court can not be reached except after an action is begun in the Dauphin county court which is in vacation and as the supreme court will not meet until fall the results of a protracted hold up of the funds for payment of salaries, labor and other expenses of the departments is easier imagined than described.

There the action of the auditor general will fall heaviest will be on the health department. Commissioner Dixon said that there were 1,300 people in the tuberculosis sanitariums and that the system by which they were run allowed only about a week's provisions to be bought ahead. "The situation is really very serious with us," said Dr. Dixon. "Should the funds be tied up it would be necessary to send these sick people away. Some of them have no homes to go to."

The commissioner also said that lack of funds would interrupt the work at the dispensaries where about 7,000 people are getting treatment, being given milk and cotton seed oil daily. In the event of the law being on Powell's side there would be nothing left to do but call an extra session of the legislature, which would cost $250,000 to make the appropriations in another manner.

Whether Powell will accept the attorney general's ruling if it is to the effect that he can make the payments is a matter of conjecture there being some who think that it is part of his program to force the matter into courts and to make the highway department the object of more attacks. It was noticed that in his letter to the atorney general he singled out the highway department for inquiry.

According to reports it is the public service commission that Powell is after in addition to the highway department. It is said that an effort will be made to test its constitutionality on the ground that it conflicts wih the department of internal affairs' powers over railroads and that Powell is willing to be mandamused on a question involving right of the new commission to an appropriation.

Attorney General Bell is in Europe, but the department says that it will be paid any funds as coming under the general appropriation bill. The matter according to Auditor General Powell, was called to his attention last week, and he made search to find whether he could legally pay these departments, but was not convinced that he had that right and he sought the attorney general.

All $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 Straw Hats, 95 cents at Murdock & McCarty's, 511 McKean avenue. 8-t2

Mrs. L. H. Goehring and daughter Fay have returned from a visit at Tarentum. They were accompanied by Miss Velma King, who will visit here.

ORDINANCE NO. .....

Establishing and Re-establishing the Grade of Crest Avenue from Fourth Street to a Point 108 Feet North of Fourth Street

Be it Ordained and Enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same:

Section 1. That the grade of Crest Avenue be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Sec. 2. On the East curb beginning at the North curb line of Fourth Street at an elevation of 917.5 feet, sea level datum; thence descending 2.155 feet per hundred feet a distance of 116.0 feet to an elevation of 915.0 feet.

Sec. 3. On the West curb beginning at the North curb line of Fourth Street at an elevation of 918.0 feet; thence descending 2.59 feet per hundred feet a distance of 116.0 feet to an elevation of 915.0 feet.

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts thereof conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this ..... day of August, 1913.

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President of Council.

Attest:

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Clerk.

Examined and approved by me this..... day of August, 1913.

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Burgess.

Attest:

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Clerk.

NOTICE.

Any objections to the above ordinance may be made to the Borough Council at a meeting to be held in the Borough Building ....., 1913, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

.....
Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. .....

Establishing or Re-establishing the Grade of Fourth Street Between Crest Avenue and Oakland Avenue in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

Be it Ordained and Enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same:

Section 1. That the grade of Fourth Street be and the same is hereby established and fixed as follows:

Sec. 2. Beginning at the East curb line of Crest Avenue at an elevation of 917.5 feet, sea level datum; thence ascending 2.50 feet per hundred feet for 20 feet to the West curb line of Crest Avenue at an elevation of 918.0 feet; thence ascending 6.364 feet per hundred feet a distance of 275.0 feet to the East curb of Meadow Avenue at an elevation of 935.5 feet; Thence ascending 2.08 feet per hundred feet a distance of 24 feet to the West curb line of Meadow avenue at an elevation of 936.0 feet; thence ascending 13.90 feet per hundred feet for 241.0 feet to an elevation of 969.5 feet at the East Curb line of Shady Avenue; thence ascending 10 feet per hundred feet for 20 feet to the West Curb line of Shady Avenue at an elevation of 971.5 feet; thence ascending 16.484 feet per hundred feet a distance of 300.3 feet to an elevation of 1021.0 feet at the East Curb of Oakland Avenue; thence ascending 10 feet per hundred feet a distance of 20 feet to an elevation of 1023.0 feet at the West curb of Oakland Avenue.

Sec. 3. That the grade of both curbs be the same as herein described.

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts thereof conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this ..... day of August, 1913.

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President of Council.

Attest:

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Clerk.

Examined and approved by me this..... day of August, 1913.

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Burgess.

Attest:

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Clerk.

NOTICE.

Any objections to the above ordinance may be made to the Borough Council at a meeting to be held in the Borough Building ....., 1913, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

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SAYS ALL WOMEN ARE LIARS

German Diplomat, Who Got the "Mitten," Declares Fair Sex Deficient Morally.

"All women are liars and are deficient in their sense of moral duty."

This and more is the opinion of Baron Herrmann von Kuhlmann of Bavaria, unmarried and attached to German embassy at Pekin, who arrived on the Chiyo Maru recently.

According to fellow passengers, the baron formed his views on the voyage when his attentions to Miss Katherine Enright of Chicago did not meet with hearty response.

"A woman cannot recognize the same moral responsibility as a man," said the baron. "No marriage can remain a happy one for more than a year. By that time a man will lose faith in his wife."

Then, turning to Miss Enright, the baron said:

"We have had a pleasant trip. But to have you for a wife if I could—never! You are too energetic."

Returning to the interview, the baron continued:

"Woman is illogical and untrustworthy. She changes her mind too frequently. Woman has no feeling requiring her to tell the truth. In Germany a man and wife are comrades, but in America—never. Here the women are proud and selfish and the men suffer for it."

Advice About Reading.

Be sure, then, to read no mean books; shun the spawn of the press in the gossip of the hour. Do not read what you shall learn, without asking, in the street and the train. Dr. Johnson said he "always went into stately shops," and good travelers stop at the best hotels; for though they cost more they do not cost much more, and there is the good company and the best information. In like manner the scholar knows that the famous books contain, first and last, the best thoughts and facts. . . . The three practical rules, then, which I have to offer are (1) Never read any book that is not a year old. (2) Never read any but famed books. (3) Never read any but what you like.—Emerson.

Took First Position.

Mr. William Milligan Sloane, "Seth Low" professor of history at Columbia university, in an interview with the London Daily Mail correspondent, said: "I understand that a certain Berlin correspondent of a New York newspaper received a cablegram from his editor which read, 'Don't send much war news; world's baseball series now on!'"

Course Not.

"Did he kiss you when he proposed? "Certainly; I wouldn't consider any but sealed proposals."

First Bear Dance.

What, though I am obliged to dance a bear, a man may be a gentleman for all that.—She Stoops to Conquer.

William I. Berryman, Attorney at Law, 337 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburg, Penn'a.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of James D. Wilson, deceased, late of Washington County, Pennsylvania, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediat paymnt, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay.

William R. McKean,
Administrator c. t. a.
Charleroi, Penn'a.
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Consumption is a flattering disease—that is one of its chief dangers. Those who have it are rarely willing to acknowledge the fact. If this trouble is present, it is no time for trifling. If a so-called "cold" has long persisted; if a cough is present that keeps you anxious, or any of the symptoms are present, such as fever or night sweats, weakness and loss of appetite, and perhaps some raising of mucus—do the sensible thing:—take Eckman's Alterative—as Mr. Bettersworth did

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Eight Who Deserve Slaps.

Eight men who deserve to be slapped on the face: He who despises a man of power; he who enters a house uninvited and unwelcomed; he who gives orders in a house not his own; he who takes a seat above his position; he who speaks to one who does not listen to him; he who intrudes on the conversation of others; he who seeks favors from the ungenerous; and he who expects love from his enemies.—From a Persian Saying.

Real Test.

There is something finer than to do right against inclination, and that is to have an inclination to do right. There is something nobler than reluctant obedience, and that is joyful obedience. The rank of virtue is not measured by its disagreeableness, but by its sweetness to the heart that loves it. The real test of character is joy. For what you rejoice in, that you love. And what you love, that you are like.—Henry van Dyke.

Be Careful in Speech.

If in our speech we would need consider how our words will affect those to whom they are spoken—if we would try to hear them with their ears and consider how they accept in their hearts, there would not be much passionate or unadvised speech; certainly there would be few spirits wounded or lives embittered by the words of our lips.—W. G. Horder.

Accentuating Plant Characters.

It has been found that under red light (light through red glass) plants become more robust than in any other. They also become more pronounced in their chief characters—the leafy plant becomes more leafy, all shades of green become more pronounced, the sensitive plant more sensitive and all in every way become highly specialized.

Pigeon Descended Chimney.

When a resident in the London road, Reading, England, came downstairs recently, he found perched on the top bar of the grate in the drawing-room a pigeon which had come down the chimney. It had brought with it a considerable quantity of soot. When the occupier opened the windows the pigeon made its escape.

Food Kept Warm.

A flatiron stand will be found useful on the range to keep the contents of a saucepan warm without danger of burning, says the Indianapolis News. It is also useful when one desires food to simmer; there is then no fear of sticking or burning on a hot stove.

Unfortunate English.

The general impression that the Englishman's life is rather prosy is supported by the statement of a Londoner who visited at Clay Center. He said he never had tasted fried chicken or strawberry shortcake, the two being unknown to the culinary art in his country.—Kansas City Star.

"Bait" Was Good.

"How did you come to buy that worthless mining stock?" "Well, you see, I thought it was all right. The man who sold it to me had mahogany furniture in his office, tall brass cuspidors and a swell rug on his floor."—Detroit Free Press.

Adam's Satisfaction.

Adam was surveying the animals he was called upon to name. He smiled with satisfaction as he remarked: "Whatever else may happen, there never will be a shortage in the supply of party emblems."

Ideals the Guiding Star.

Ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands. But, like the seafaring man on deserts of water, you choose them as your guides, and following them reach your destiny.—Carl Schurz.

All Have a Duty.

Every man or woman is one of mankind's dear possessions; to his or her just brain, and kind heart and active hands, mankind intrusts some of its hopes for the future.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Changing Hues.

"You are in love with a blonde," remarked the fortune teller, "but after you marry her, beware of a brunette who—" "No danger," remarked the patron; "it's the same woman."—The Ladies' World.

The Average Man.

The average man will hurry to a veterinary when his pet dog gets sick, but he is willing to rely on almost any kind of "dope" when he isn't feeling well himself.

Improved Safety Razor.

The principle of the double-headed plane has been applied to safety razors, so that the operator shaves with two blades at the same time.

Little Satisfaction.

A mummy gets blamed little satisfaction from winning the endurance prize.—Atchison Globe.

Evil of Insincerity.

Of all the evil spirits abroad at this hour in the world, insincerity is the most dangerous.—Froude.

QUEER FACTS ABOUT MONEY

Average Lifetime of Various Denominations of Paper Currency Differs Considerably.

The average lifetime of the different denominations of United States paper currency differs considerably; that of the $1 silver certificate, for instance, being a trifle over one year; the $5 silver certificate, 1.9 years; the $10 gold certifictae 1.6S years; $20 gold certificate, 1.9 years, etc The number of pieces of United States paper currency in circulation is gradually increasing and numbered 327,329,159 on June 30, 1912. There were 273,426,336 pieces of United States currency redeemed during the same period, which exceeded by 6,218,415 the number of pieces issued the preceding year. The increasing growth in redemptions is due primarily to the growth in business activities, the publicity given to uncleanliness and alleged insanitation of soiled notes, and the consequent demand for cleaner money; the growing practice of payment of wages in factories, shops, etc., weekly and bi-weekly, as compared with monthly; and growing popularity of paper money in sections where silver was formerly in the greatest demand, etc.—Leslie's Weekly.

UNIQUE EXAMPLE OF LOYALTY

Popular Daughter of Prominent Chinese Official Is Married to Large Red Vase.

Not long ago considerable commotion was caused in the Chinese city of Hankow when the attractive and popular daughter of a prominent Chinese official was married with great pomp and ceremony to a large red vase which was supposed to represent a deceased bridegroom who had died a few years before his marriage. Whereupon his grief-stricken bride-elect declared that she would never marry any one else, but would devote herself as a widow for the rest of her life to the family of her husband. In order to do this, however, it was necessary that she should legally belong to that family and so the strange ceremony with the vase was gone through with to enable her to become a member of the family. Since then it has been suggested that an arch should be built in the city in order to commemorate the devotion of the young girl to the husband she never had.

China Market for Hats.

Men who have wondered what becomes of the large stocks of hats, caps and clothing that remain unsold at the close of each season in this country will be interested to learn that a considerable portion of such stock is disposed of in China, where the men are adopting the dress of their western brothers. The rising generation of Chinese is particularly keen for headgear worn in America, but the styles seen there are always those that were in vogue in this country the year before.

Much of the men's apparel that fails to find a market in this country finds its way to the far east. In a walk through the streets of any Chinese city one sees derbies, fedoras and caps that bear an American label. Most of the caps are of British make because many of the tourists come from London, and in selecting a cap the native has no guide except the headgear he sees on foreigners.

Coal and the X-Ray.

It is now believed that the mystery of the formation and constitution of coal, which has long puzzled students, will be solved by means of the X-ray.

According to a French scientific journal, there are two or three kinds of ash in coals: First, the foreign matter carried by the wind or the rain into the forests that gave rise to the coal. Next there is the mineral matter that forms part of living plants. Finally, there is generally more or less mineral matter due to the formation of new compounds by the decomposition of the first two kinds of ash. The examination of coal with the X-rays will probably lead to a possible distinction between these three forms of ash, and will thus contribute to throw light on the formation of veins.

Bottle-Fed Fruit.

Bottle feeding is the latest wrinkle in the growing of the enormous winter hothouse fruit, and it has increased the fruit's size and sweetness 50 or 99 per cent. Peaches and pears are like pumpkins; grapes and strawberries like apples.

When a peach or a pear is young and green and hard, the gardener passes through it a needle and thread of coarse cotton, leaving both thread ends sticking out. He does this till eight or ten ends are obtained. These ends he puts into bottles of sugar and water syrup, and the syrup, flowing along the cotton, is absorbed by the fruit, sucked up by it—sucked up as babes suck up milk—the fruit, in a word, is bottle-fed.

Arguing It Out.

"The horse is superior to the automobile at every point."

"Nonsense. You can't name a point."

"Well, for one thing, you can eat horse meat. Thousands do."

"I've tried it. I'd just as soon have a piece of rubber tire with gasoline sauce."

Secret No Longer.

Marryat—So that great inventor is dead and his wonderful secret is lost—

Newitt—Not at all. He told it to his wife just before he died.

Marryat—Yes, that's what I mean—Gray Stories.

In your hand you hold a five-cent piece.

Right at the grocer's hand is a moisture-proof package of Uneeda Biscuit. He hands you the package—you hand him the coin. A trifling transaction?

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YELLOW POWDER IN FASHION

Women of France Now Affect Complexion Showing a Suggestion of Sunburn.

This is the day of the yellow complexion in France. Gone is the fashion of the pearl white powder with which the French woman used to cover her face, achieving a peaches and cream effect or more often a chalky and interesting pallor. Now, to be really in the mode, a woman must use a yellow powder which gives the skin a slight suggestion of sunburn, a good healthy look which might have been brought back from the Swiss mountains or the Egyptian deserts.

One sees this yellow powder used everywhere, at the opera and the theater, in the drawing room and in the Bois de Boulogne, while the grisettes and the little ladies of Montmartre and St. Michelle, quick to follow the fashions, are also adopting it. There is much discussion as to how such a fashion started. The favorite explanation is that a certain professional beauty whose skin refused the pearl powder and delicate pink rouge finally resigned herself to using the yellow powder and appearing healthy and sunburned, and she looked so charming that she started the vogue of the yellow skin, which all Paris is following.

Classified.

"My precious lamb," said the new parson to the little girl, "I fear me your father is one of those wayward sheep, long strayed from the fold." "Dad's not a sheep," smiled the little girl. "He's a Bull Boose!"—Judge.

Altogether Too Desirable.

Dobbs—So you're living in the country, eh! What kind of neighbors have you? Are they desirable? Hobbs—Desirable! Great Scott, we haven't a thing they don't desire, especially in the way of gardening implements.

FACTS ABOUT THE GIFT COW

Writer, Evidently Having Had Some Experience, Writes Bitter Things Concerning Animal in Question.

Already putting up the bars against presents, which, and often in the queerest forms, are sure to be offered or even sent without permission to a president by so many of the generous, easy, careless—should we add "irresponsible?"—American tribe, Governor Wilson is said to have warned or shooed away the cow which a middle western farmer sought to give him. According to the dispatches the governor will make it a rule to refuse "valuable" gifts.

The rule is none of our business, but is a cow, aye, though she be a milky Orsini or Colonna, "valuable" in the hands of an innocent third party, not bucolic in his habits? How many blameless urban souls have pined for the greenwood tree and a horned Amaryllis in the shade thereof. How many of them have begged, bought, mortgaged, stolen and got their little patch of land and stocked it with a cow, "fancy" or otherwise, in price always "fancy," too often the gift of a pretended friend or malicious relation? Was this lactiferous beast of their dreams "valuable" to them? Was it not rather a responsibility, a cause of continual trouble and expense?

The cow moos all day, if kept at home, and a decent regard for the neighbors forces the amateur to drive the danged thing afield. He can't feed it or milk it, he has to hire a man, usually incompetent, to chaperon it to and from the pasture, attend to its board, milk it, telephone for the "vet" now and then. The cow caretaker doesn't know his business. The gift cow knows he doesn't know his business. And milk is not one of the gifts of the cow. The cow is always getting you into hot water. You can't sell it or give it away to an enemy. You don't dare to shoot it. You have to pass that cow's life in lying to the giver.

Governor Wilson does well to buy his milk. He would have to buy it just the same if he had a gift cow.—New York Sun.

Cape Smoke.

The chiefs of Basutoland and Bechuanaland demand prohibition, and take care that it is secured to their people. But nevertheless the brandy party of the Cape Colony leaves no stone unturned to promote the sale of "cape smoke" and wine sufficiently strengthened to suit the native taste. Nothing can be more fallacious or hypocritical than to speak of the native being supplied with "light wines." The native wants something with a "bite" in it, and is not satisfied with any intoxicant which does not proceed down his throat "like a torchlight procession."

Within the last three months there were at one time no fewer than 1,500 persons in the Johannesburg jails, charged with illicit selling of intoxicants. The crime is that of giving veritable poison to natives—all at a price frequently of ten shillings a bottle. The punishment for this lucrative and murderous traffic is, Mr. Wilmot contends, "absolutely preposterous," and after some months of easy prison life the brazen trafficker returns to his easy method of making money.

His Part in the Affair.

"Your son-in-law has a title." "Yes," replied the patient father; "but I am the one who is furnishing the expensive binding material and the gilt decoration."—Buffalo Commercial.

Developing Great Industry.

The steel entering into the manufacture of automobile wheels during last year amounted to 15,000 tons in this country alone.

The Greatest Woman.

Who was or is the greatest woman in all history? Two hundred Kansas teachers answered the question and with enthusiasm and unanimity the judges awarded the prize to the one who made this reply: "The wife of the farmer of moderate means who does her own cooking, washing, ironing, sewing, brings up a family of boys and girls to be useful members of society, and finds time for intellectual improvement."

Courage Makes Success.

Many a man has dried up in a little wayside opportunity, merely because he lacked the courage to acknowledge to himself that his judgment had landed him in the wrong spot. Fortune disdains mere ability—brain is nothing without bravery. The man who can be thrashed by a sneer has retreated before he is defeated.—Herbert Kaufman.

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Parental Problems.

Where a whipping may improve one boy it will create a grudge and a thirst for revenge in another. Parents have several problems besides making a living.—Atchison Globe.

Uncle Pennywise.

Uncle Pennywise says: "I don't suppose a rich woman feels any particular gratification when she gets a new pair of shoes."—Kansas City Journal.

Point of View.

"Say, pa, what is the difference between a visit and a visitation?" Fond Father—A visit, my boy, is when you go to see your Grandmother Jones, and a visitation is when your Grandmother Jones comes to see us.

Who Is She?

We are willing to admit that chrysanthemums were never more beautiful than now. Even a head of cabbage would be beautiful if a pretty girl wore it for a bouquet.—Philadelphia Telegraph

Cultivate Sense of Humor.

A sense of humor is certainly the salt of life, either of the married variety or the plain, single existence. It certainly helps a wife to laugh off many a little bruise that otherwise would grow into a festering sore. To see the funny side of many of the trivial annoyances of life at the time they happen certainly eases the situation.

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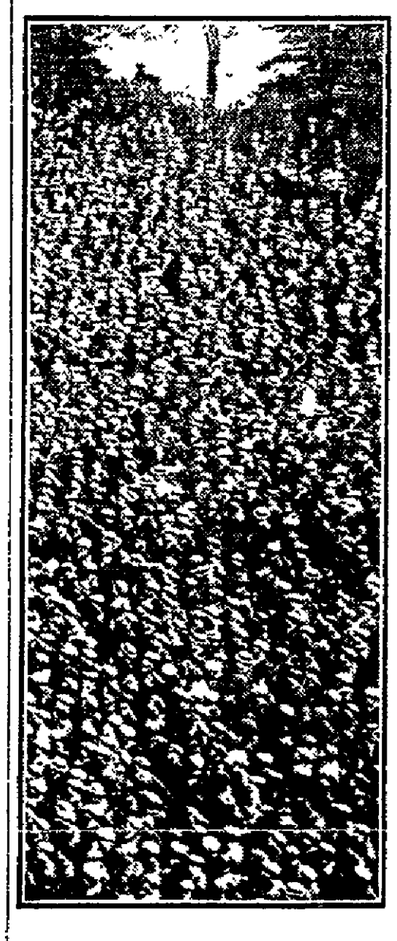

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(Continued from First Page)

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RAILROAD MEN TAKING TRIP OVER DIVISION

Fifty-four agents of the Monongahela division and other railroad men of the P. R. R. are in the party which today is taking a tour over a section of the division in lieu of the regular quarterly meeting of agents. They stopped for lunch at the Wilbur hotel This morning the party visited the machine shops at Mesta and the Clairton steel mills. This afternoon a tour of inspection was taken through the Macbeth-Evans glass plant and the party left for Donora to visit at the steel works there.

Among those in the party were A. G. Mitchell, superintendent of the Monongahela division and representatives of the Philadelphia office.

To Preserve Home of George Fox.

Swarthmoor hall, near Ulverston, Lancashire (Eng.) formerly the home of George Fox, founder of the Society of Friends, was bought at Ulverston, a short time ago, on behalf of the English members of the society for £5,250. His writing desk was bought for 26 guineas.

The Merry Advertiser.

Who says there is no more any genuine English humor? A provision dealer in Earl's court neighborhood, London, displays this on a window sign: "When visiting Shakespeare's England, eat England's Bacon."

Classified Ads

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Must be good cook and laundress. Family of two, 613 Crest avenue. 6-t3

WANTED—Four teams at once. Steady work, 65 cents an hour. Call Booth and Flinn, Ltd., at Beallsville, Bell phone, between 7 and 8 p. m. 7-t2

FOR RENT—Store room. Inquire 813 McKean avenue. 8-t3p

LOST—One roll pictures left on 10:12 car to Allenport. Suitable reward of left at this office. 8-t2p

LOST—Silver rimmed belt pin with black and white stone. Leave at Allen's Grocery, 8th and McKean 8-t1

UNION SERVICES ARE ANNOUNCED

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sevices will be held in the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, and Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church will preach.

August 17 the union service will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church with the sermon by Rev. E. G. Stanley of the Baptist church. On August 24, Rev. C. P. Bastian of the Lutheran church will preach at services held at the Christian church. The last Sunday of the month will be August 31, and Rev. John R. Buson pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will preach at Christ Lutheran church.

The choir of the several churches will render special music in turn. It is also planned to have young people's organizations hold union meetings.

RACING PROGRAM

Sandy Plains Fair Association

MILLSBORO, PA.

Tuesday, July 29th, 1913

No. 1. Running race, 4 1-2 Furlongs $100
No. 2. Running race, 6 1-2 Furlongs $100
No. 3. Horses never started for money (mixed) $200
No. 4. Colt race, 3 year old and under (mixed) $200

Wednesday, July 30th

No. 5. 2:30 pace $200
No. 6. 2:20 Trot $250
No. 7. 2:17 Pace $250
No. 8. Mile Running race.....$100

Thursday, July 31st

No. 9. 2:30 Trot.....$200
No. 10. 2:15 Trot $300
No. 11. 2:13 Pace $300
No. 12. 3-4 mile consolation race for Running Horses not winning first or second money in former races $75.

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PROBABLE CANDIDATES ARE BECOMING KNOWN

Center of Interest in Controller and Recorder Offices

ALL PARTIES WATCHING

Republicans, Progressives and Democrats Keeping Weather Eye on Affairs

Political plums ripe for plucking in Washington county with the kind permission of an indulgent people are furnishing office aspirants some source of worry these days. Candidates on various parties are looming up in anticipation of forthcoming developments, and when they go to the primaries on September 16 asking for recognition, nearly every one of them will counter stiff opposition.

Perhaps the most desirable plum fluttering before the eyes of the politicians of the county is that of county controller, with that of recorder bearing almost as much close watching. Everybody that is watching affairs is casting anxious glances towards the present controller, John H. Moffitt, who is to make the run for office with the progressives.

The republicans have just four names so far to consider for controller with a faint prospect of more being added to the batting order. Of course they are all in the class known as "being mentioned by their friends." Nevertheless, it is understood that they are safe bets. The four are: Tom Underwood of California; Charles Richey, the present deputy controller; Wilbur Wallace, of Washington ,and John C. Morgan, of Canonsburg. former county treasurer.

As stated Moffitt is likely to make the run with the progressives and it is rumored he will be the only one in progressive pasture asking first aid at the pimaries. The democrats have two who would be willing to have the job of controller thrust upon the, W. H. Ecker and J. Winfield Reed, both of the county seat.

For recorder the present incumbent J. C. Sutherland has announced. It is understood that H. O. Campsey of Claysville, will make a run for nomination on the republican ticket. The democrats have their eye fixed steadfastly on this plum with Joseph W. Martin, of Washington late of California, as the only candidate in the field so far. Martin missed being elected to the office of prothonotary at the last election by a plurality so wee that it was hard to see,and thinks he can by running on a one-term platform stand a good chance of election if nominated and nomination looks like a cinch for him. The progressive candidate for recorder will probably be Alex Young who is now connected with the recorder's office.

R. C. Buchanan and a gentleman by the name of Adams are rumored to be the only republican candidates mentioned so far for director of the poor. The progressive possibility is Harry Huston, of Lone Pine. A new figure may cast his democratic hat into the ring in the person of G. J. Hanna, of North Strabane for this job. For jury commissioner a democratic hope is William MacLoney, of Hopewell.

While affairs at the county seat are beginning to warm up a trifle, primary talk is still somewhat guarded, and there is a possibility of other announcements being made, or even of some of those who have been mentioned of withdrawing.

Ask Grades be Prepared

Property Holders on Fallowfield Avenue Want to Know Width

The width of sidewalks along Fallowfield avenue from Ninth street, north to the point below Tenth where paving is being extended to, is a matter that is compelling the attention of property owners. Some are favorable to six foot sidewalks and others are favorable to eight foot walks. The engineer's department has been asked to give a sidewalk grade, but until such time that the property holders can come to some conclusion as to the width of sidewalk desired, it is probable the matter of furnishing the grade will be delayed.

MONEY IS HELD UP BY POWELL

Auditor General Refuses to Allow General Appropriations

CREATES A SENSATION

Payments of millions of dollars appropriated by the last General Assembly in the general appropriation bill to departments and branches of the State government created since the adoption of the constitution of 1873 will be held up by Auditor General Archibald W. Powell until he is satisfied on two legal questions:

First, whether they are legally a part of the executive branch of the State government, not having been mentioned in the constitution, which involves the question whether the Legislature can create departments by statute.

Second, what are the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of the State government, which involves the question whether the appropriations for road building, construction and maintenance of tuberculosis sanitariums, maintenance of the State Police force, the funds for establishment of the new public service commission, the $35,000 emergency appropriation for the Gettysburg semi-centennial celebration and similar items are to be so considered.

No more drastic action has been taken by an auditor general of the State since the office was created, and the effects may be far reaching. The auditor general declined to make a formal statement but gave out letters which he said explained his attitude and intimates that he feels that the

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THREE BURNED WHEN GASOLINE EXPLODES; ONE MAN MAY DIE

Lemuel Hawkins Believed to be Fatally Burned--Dr. Minor H. Day and an Assistant Machinist Are Hurt

One man was so badly burned that he will likely die and two others sustained [illegible] at 8:30 o'clock when a can of gasoline exploded at the Donora Auto Garage at Donora.

The Burned.

Lemuel Hawkins, aged 34, married employed as a machinist. Burned about body. Taken to Memorial hospital at Monongahela. Will likely die.

Stephen Mancho, aged 18, single, assistant machinest, burned about head and shoulders. Taken home. Not seriously burned.

Dr. Minor H. Day, seriously burned about face and shoulders and about his hands and forearms. Taken home.

Hawkins and Mancho were engaged at work on a car and Dr. Day was watching them. A can of gasoline upset. The gasoline spread over the floor and by accident a match was dropped. Instantly there was an explosion of the gasoline on the floor and in the can. Hawkins got the full force, but the others were farther away and were not as badly burned as the machinist.

NEWSPAPER MEN ARE ENTERTAINED AT PARK

Second Annual Groundhog Supper Given in Honor to Members of the Monongahela Valley Press Association

Newspaper men who are members of the Monongahela Valley Press Association and a few especially invited friends were entertained by Manager T. P. Sloan and Assistant Manager Roy Sharpnack at the second annual groundhog supper at Eldora Park Tuesday evening. The "feed" was served under the capable direction of Mrs. Sloan at the park restaurant. There were about 20 in the party that at 7:30 seated themselves at the table.

A menu that was rich in seasonable delicacies and in appetizing dishes best appreciated by the usually hungry newspaper man was presented. It was as follows:

Turtle Soup

Stuffed Olives — Pickles

Aardvak with Sweet Potatoes

Mashed Potatoes

Schwein

Potato Salad — Pepper Relish

Ice Cream

Pie — Cake

Coffee — Cigars

After the supper adjournment was taken to the Sloan bungalow and there the newspaper men enjoyed themselves with stories and conversation. "Tip" Wickerham, the efficient chief patrolman of the Eldora park force who is a natural born story teller related some of his best. Nearly every one present, at the solicitation of Mr. Sloan, who proved a kind host, took some part in the entirely informal program. Capt. E. W. Hartland of the Tenth regiment, who was one of the guests spoke of the need of unity among all organizations and started a little shop talk by telling the newspaper men he rejoiced to see them meeting in harmony to discuss their business cares and worries. H. L. Lamb of the California Sentinel was prevailed upon to serve as chairman and several good ideas were brought of interest to the newspapers.

The party adjourned after 10 o'clock. Those who enjoyed the evening supper were: H. L. Lamb, A. H. Lamb, C. L. Hudson, of California; L. M. Truxal, Belle Vernon; Joe T. S. Cowan, Roscoe; H. R. Pore, G. C. Deihl, Monessen; W. G. Gibson, L. E. Flint, Monongahela; Louis Goazion, Harry E. Price and Floyd Chalfant, Charleroi; D. M. McCloskey, M. T. Crowley, Roy S. Sharpnack, Tom P. Sloan, Cornelius Buchanan, Charleroi, Capt, E. Hartland and "Tip" Wickerham.

MARRIED TUESDAY; TAKING TRIP NOW

W. B. Pfleghardt and Bride to Spend Honeymoon in Adirondacs

At Duquesne on Tuesday William B. Pfleghardt, of Charleroi and Miss Pauline Minford of Duquesne were quietly married. They left after the wedding in the evening for a honeymoon trip to the Adirondack mountains in New York state, where they will spend two weeks. They will reside in Charleroi upon their return. Their place of esridence is to be on Washington avenue and Third street.

The bride has been a principal in one of the Duquesne schools. She

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UNION SERVICES ARE ANNOUNCED

Local Churches to Join During August Under an Original Plan

By unanimous agreement of the churches concerned there will be union services of the English speaking Protestant churches of Charleroi during the month of August. A program for the services has been arranged by the ministers.

The first meeting will be on the evening of August 3 in the First Presbyterian church when Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor of the First Christian church will have charge and preach. The second Sunday night, August 10,

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HITCHING ON STREETS NOT TO BE PERMITTE

Rowdies at Beallsville

Burgess Posts Notices That He will not Tolerate Sunday Law Violation

Burgess J. Frank Fitzsimmons has posted notices about Beallsville to the effect that Sunday rowdiness in the borough must stop at once. Frequent complaints have been made to the burgess that quite a bit of rowdiness has been going on in the borough on Sunday and he has determined to stop it.

If attention is not paid the notices arrests will follow as the practice, it is stated has become very annoying.

BURLESON IN WRONG PERHAPS

Senate Wants to Know About Parcel Post Changes

QUESTION AUTHORITY

Plans which had been announced by Postmaster General Burleson for extension, improvement nd reduction in rates of the parcel post may go astray in spite of the fact that changes were definitely stated to go into effect August 15. The committee on postoffices and postroads of the United States Senate has requested the postmaster general to appear before it to answer the question as to where he gets his authority for his announced changes.

What the senate committee professes its inability to understand is where the postmaster general figures out he can declare a reduction in rates without confering with congress or at least with the Interstate Commerce Commisison. Yet the members of the committee agree that the postmaster general can declare an increase should he take a notion, provided the increase is deemed necessary for purpose of revenue. Some members of the committee defending him insist by the parcel post law the postmaster general has the right to change rates and zones in any way that will "promote the service to the public."

The whole affair will be fought out Thursday of this week at Washington, and upon the result of the conference then will rest the final outcome if Postmaster General Burleson's plans.

The Bargain Lots.

That we have on sale are going fast. Four sold in one day. If you are going to take advantage of this special offer you had better see us at once. Charleroi Real Estate AgencyCo.. Ross Building, 411 McKean Ave. 8-tf

Council Instructs Police Department to Enforce Law

PETITION NOT RECEIVED

Meeting to be Held Again Friday to Consider McKean Avenue Affair

People are not to be permitted hitch their horses along the stre when hitching grounds are provi in Charleroi. At a meeting of cou Tuesday evening action was ta embodying instructions to Chief Police C. W. Albright and the po department to keep the streets f A campaign in this direction started last Saturday night, w Fallowfield avenue and other str which have been made hitching p es were cleared. There are two hi ing grounds provided in Charl with accommodations for 80 tea

The meeting of council was s cial meeting called principally the purpose of hearing a petition ing paving of McKean avenue s from First street to the borough at Maple Creek. This petitio seemed was not ready and cou did not receive it. As has been s ed before this street is one that state will help in improving. rangements were made to hol meeting Friday night at which the petition will probably be re and received.

Two ordinances passed first r ing. One was for establishing re-establishing the grade of C avenue from Fourth street to a p 108 feet north of Fourth street, the other was establishing the g of Fourth street between Crest nue and Oakland avenue. Resid along the two points referred t the ordinance had asked for gra Several were present at the mee asking for sidewalk grades and information.

Fire Chief J. M. Fleming was structed to procure two patent c lings for hose.

Fifth street at the corner of Kean avenue was decided upon as location for the new water foun donated by the Charleroi W company. The fountain which had ready been received will be retu and another ordered.

President W. R. Gaut was in chair and councilmen present w W. H Calvert, Oscar C. Linn, J. Rickey, and Frank Riva.

WINDOWS BROKEN ALONG DIVISION BY COKE THROWE

Railroad officers of the Monon hela division P. R. R. it is stated engaged to locate people guilty Saturday night of breaking windo at various points by throwing and coke from passing trains. W dows were broken at places in lenport, at North Charleroi, at M ongahela and at one or two ot points. At New Eagle the Robin Machine company suffered. Twe light glasses were broken in the r chine plant and two large lig were broken in the office. W. Dean the night watchman narrow escaped being seriously injured w a large piece of coke came [illegible] through the office window near wh he was sitting.

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RECKLESS AUTOMOBILING

The secretary of state of New York in a report just made public presents startling facts and figures in regard to automobile accidents. After going over the entire situation in his state this gentleman, whose name is May, says the accidents in the main are not due to the machine itself but to the reckless and often inexperienced drivers who do not realize the speed power and resulting momentum of an automobile, says the Washington Reporter.

"Investigation has shown," declares Mr. May, "that the primary reason for accidents has been careless and reckless driving, involving a violation of both the rules of the road and of common sense. Motorists frequently assume desperate chances when driving at a high rate of speed past crossways, sharp curves, school houses, horse drawn vehicles, trolley cars or over wet pavements and bridges.

"If a locomotive engineer, whose path of travel is confined to tracks, should happen to be any but a skilled driver, what a howl of protest would naturally arise and yet many more dangers lie in the unrestricted right of way of a motor vehicle operator. As for the deliberate, reckless driver, he is a serious public menace and must be eliminated by the strong arm method before he causes more injury to others, as well as to himself, both of which must eventually happen."

The Reporter has frequently called attention to this matter of careless and reckless driving of automobiles. In fact some people seem to think that this paper has overdone the matter a trifle. But this is a thing involving the lives and well being of the people of this community.

It is not that every person driving an automobile is reckless. But even the owners of automobiles will admit that there are persons driving automobiles right here in Washington [illegible] the streets.

The automobile is here to stay and it has a rightful place in the scheme of things. But it must be used and not misused.

A FLYLESS TOWN.

The very pretty city of Redlands, California, lays claim to the distinction of being the only "flyless town" in the United States The fly problem was attacked there more than a year ago, but it is not because of more vigorous swatting in Redlands than elsewhere that the city has acquired fame, remarks the Wheeling Register.

The mayor of Redlands believes in fly-swatting, but his observation has convinced him of the folly of swatting in one house when conditions favorable to breeding of flies are allowed to exist in the house next door. So while encouraging swatting he took steps to get at the root of the evil by destroying the breeding places of flies and then appointed a municipal fly-catcher who constructed a device in the form of a street snare. It consists of a screened frame a foot wide and two feet high, which is regularly baited to trap the pests, permitting the fly-catcher to come around once a day or oftener to empty the traps [illegible]

A report for September, 1912, the first month of the Redlands experiment, showed that 3,750,000 flies were caught and killed in one hundred traps The results proved so satisfactory that the number of street traps was increased, and today there are more than five hundred of them, and Redlands boasts that there are fewer flies per capita in that city than in any other city in the United States. If that claim is admitted it might be well for municipalities to study Redland's methods with a view to their general adoption. The system is inexpensive and well worth a trial at least.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

A New York policeman kicks at being robbed Either he must be an inexperienced cop or is violating a confidence.

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A Pittsburg policeman is charged with shooting a blue herron But how was a Pittsburg policeman to know the difference between a blue heron and a bird of prey.

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Some discussion is taking place over which is the proper word to use —"mad" or "angry." Answer is both, though if the other fellow is to use either we would prefer it "angry."

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The concensus of opinion has shifted so that about all that Secretary Bryan can be accused of now is that of being a good advertiser

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Why not have a vote taken on the most popular girl, and let her be the investigating committee to probe the ice cream trade.

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The question, what classification of occupation does "sport" belong to is agitating the minds of Charleroi folks. Anyhow it is a class by itself.

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No Genevieve, getting close calls isn't exactly in our line, though we sometimes think so.

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It is announced that Huerta is doomed and Mexico is verging upon civil war. Had the announcement been that Mexico was verging upon internal peace, there might have been some surprise occasioned

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If the publication is started of pictures of senators and representatives involved in the lobby research it won't be long until everybody has a complete gallery.

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When woman suffrage comes into fashion a town will know what to do with its widows. It can elect them mayor, turnabout.

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For general use a sharp tongue is almost as effective a weapon as a hat pin.

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Warm weather is predicted on September 16, election day.

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To be vindicated is all right, but how much nicer it would be not to have done anything to be vindicated for.

Some men who never make any enemies never make anything else.

Dinner and supper will be served in the basement of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian Church Saturday, July 26 for the benefit of the Boys Brigade. Tickets 35 cents. 7-t2

PICKED UP IN PASSING

As a man entered a picture gallery the attendant tapped him on the shoulder says the Altoona Tribune, and pointing to a small cur that followed him said:

"Dogs are not admitted."

"That's not my dog," replied the visitor.

"But he follows you."

"So you do," replied the old gentleman sharply.

The attendant growled and removed the dog with entirely unnecessary violence.

Even a lawyer is prone to complain of too hard work. But to takes a space writer or a newspaper man to take his lot philosophically Roy K. Moulton, a space writer for the Philadelphia Star tells why he is glad he is poor in the Star in the following verse:

When bills come due, I think by jing,
I'd like to be a prince or king
Or some rich foreign potentate,
Instead of poundin' this machine
With throbbin' brow and spirits mean
And [illegible] paid at [illegible] rate
But still no feller ever flings
A bomb at me as at the kings,
Although I may deserve the fate.

Whene'er an auto hastens by,
I fetch a deep and jealous sigh,
And keep on grindin' all the while
I never get a chance to go
In a nauto fifteen miles or so
Or put on any style.
But while the folks are bein' spilled,
I never am among the killed.
And that consoles me quite a pile.

I read of yachts upon the bay
That cruise in a majestic way,
And take in all the winds that blow
Most everybody else can sail
But I must labor, without fail,
A-knockink out a dime or so.
But when a yacht turns upside down
I'm never one of those to drown,
I never have a chance to go.

It's mighty nice to play with wealth
And travel in pursuit of health
But when the autos blow sky-high
And railroad trains are wrecked by gee
And steamboats sink, far out at sea
Without a chance of rescue nigh,
And other things go to the bad
I'm always pretty gol durn glad
That I can prove an alibi

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Miss Jessie Speers and Miss Elizabeth Elliott left this morning in the former's auto on a trip to Moutain Lake Park, Md.

Frank J. John will leave tonight for Cleveland, Ohio, on a few days' business trip.

Miss Lorna Ryan of Toronto, Ohio, is planning to return home tomorrow after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. John, on Lincoln a venue. She will be accompanied to Pittsburg by Miss Marguerite Whitlatch.

George Clark and John Beisel were visitors in Monongahela Tuesday evening.

Miss Emma Smallbaugh and Miss Jennie Smallbaugh have gone to Tarentum to spend a vacation.

Miss Kinsley of Pittsburg is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Nutt of Washington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis McCook, Jr., of Third street left today for Atlantic City, Spring Lake, N. J. and Niagara Falls, N. Y., to spend a month In September they will visit Mr. McCook's parents Mr. and Mrs. Willis McCook of Fifth avenue, Pittsburg at their summer home, "Bagbell Hall," Cobourg, Canada.

Miss Mytle Norris of Wilkinsburg and Miss Margaret Arnold of Glassport; Miss Annette Norris and Misses Marie and Eleanor Sigel of Emsworth have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis McCook, Jr., of Third street.

Miss Dorothy Elscher left today for Atlantic City where she will spend a vacation.

Miss M. P. Wiseman has gone to Detroit, Mich., to visit.

J. A. Henderson are going today to J. A. Anderson are going today to Bentleyville, where they will remain at camp some days.

ENJOY MOTOR BOAT OUTING

A motor boat outing was taken by a party of North Charleroi young folks Tuesday evening in the motor boat, "Pansy," owned by E. O. Davis of the steamer Shackwater. The party was chaperoned by Mr. Davis as engineer of the boat and A. B. West as pilot. A trip was taken up the Monongahela and return. In the party were Misses Bell, Garnet and Stella Crabb and Miss Lillian Metz. The "Pansy" is a new motor boat designed and constructed by Mr. Davis himself.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Published That All May Know and Have Equal Advantage

READ CAREFULLY CONSIDER!

The German-American Doctors will open in Monessen on July 24th at 9 a. m at 477 Donner avenue. The special offer commences at that time and the first 100 patients that call on Thursday will be treated free (medicine excepted)

For many years the German-American Doctors have successfully practiced their profession of treating chronic, nervous, complicated and special diseases of men, women and children, therefore experience, combined with the latest German-American treatment, together with the necessary appliances, is the reason of their success and why they are successful in treating complicated and special diseases of men and women of years' standing, when other forms of treatment have failed

The treatments used by the Doctors are as follows

The wonderful direct treatments, such as serums, antitoxins, and intravenous medication (in such cases where the Doctors consider this form of treatment required) this includes the latest successful German treatment, which has cured in one treatment cases of years' standing, which had absolutely failed to find a cure in other form of treatment

The Doctors also use the famous German discovery the Bi Chemic treatment, famous for the relief it has given when applied in such cases, where the chemical constituents of the body are lacking.

Perhaps you will ask yourself: Why is it necessary to have so many different kinds of treatments? The answer is this: Treating chronic, nervous, complicated and special diseases of men, women and children is a science and specialty within itself, and is entirely different from treating acute diseases. As you well know, an acute disease, such as typhoid fever, pneumonia, scarlet fever, etc., runs a definite course, and by skillful medical treatment and nursing, the patient in most cases recovers.

While on the other hand, chronic, nervous and special diseases go on indefinitely, and the patient continues to suffer more and more and in hundreds of cases suffers for years and lives a living death, the original disease causing complications of other organs, which are neglected, or the proper treatment cannot be had, the patient finally dies, glad to be relieved even by death of the suffering and agony he or she has endured for years.

By a careful consideration of the above, you can readily see the importance of the various forms of treatments and how essential and necessary it is, not only for the physician to be able to give to the sufferer the proper treatment or treatments required, but it is just as important for the sufferer to know where such treatments can be obtained and to take advantage of them.

Remember, the first 100 curable cases that call commencing Thursday, July 24th 9 a. m. will be treated free (medicines and electricity excepted.)

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 9 at night, daily and Sundays.

Special hours for ladies 1 to 5 p. m.

Men if you cannot call during the day call at night before 9 o'clock. Offices 477 Donner avenue, Monessen, Pa. 8-t1-adv
8-t1adv

Notice.

In re petition of Margaret Lee to be made a feme sole trader. In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Penna.

Notice is herby given that Margaret Lee, wife of Leslie Lee, of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, has presented her petition to the court for a decree and certificate authorizing and empowering her to transact business as a feme sole trader, and that the said petition will be [illegible] by the court on Monday, the 18th. day of August, 1913, at ten o'clock a. m. at which time all parties interested may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

A. V. Lewis,
Prothonotary

Hugh E. Fergus,
Attorney. 7-23-30-A-6

MONEY IS HELD UP BY POWELL

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question must be settled. This is taken to mean that the supreme court will be called upon to determine the propositions. As the supreme court can not be reached except after an action is begun in the Dauphin county court which is in vacation and as the supreme court will not meet until fall the results of a protracted hold up of the funds for payment of salaries, labor and other expenses of the departments is easier imagined than described

There the action of the auditor general will fall heaviest will be on the health department. Commissioner Dixon said that there were 1,300 people in the tuberculosis sanitariums and that the system by which they were run allowed only about a week's provisions to be bought ahead "The situation is really very serious with us" said Dr Dixon "Should the funds be tied up it would be necessary to send these sick people away. Some of them have no homes to go to."

The commissioner also said that lack of funds would interrupt the work at the dispensaries where about 7 000 people are getting treatment, being given milk and cotton seed oil daily. In the event of the law being on Powell's side there would be nothing left to do but call an extra session of the legislature, which would cost $250,000 to make the appropriations in another manner.

Whether Powell will accept the attorney general's ruling if it is to the effect that he can make the payments is a matter of conjecture there being some who think that it is part of his program to force the matter into courts and to make the highway department the object of more attacks It was noticed that in his letter to the atorney general he singled out the highway department for inquiry.

According to reports it is the public service commission that Powell is after in addition to the highway department. It is said that an effort will be made to test its constitutionality on the ground that it conflicts wih the department of internal affairs' powers over railroads and that Powell is willing to be mandamused on a question involving right of the new commission to an appropriation.

Attorney General Bell is in Europe, but the department says that it will be paid any funds as coming under the general appropriation bill. The matter according to Auditor General Powell, was called to his attention last week, and he made search to find whether he could legally pay these departments, but was not convinced that he had that right and he sought the attorney general

All $2.00. $2.50 and $3.00 Straw Hats, 95 cents at Murdock & McCarty's 511 McKean avenue 8-t2

Mrs L H Goehring and daughter Fay have returned from a visit at Tarentum. They were accompanied by Miss Velma King, who will visit here.

ORDINANCE NO. .....

Establishing and Re-establishing the Grade of Crest Avenue from Fourth Street to a Point 108 Feet North of Fourth Street

Be it Ordained and Enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same:

Section 1. That the grade of Crest Avenue be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Sec. 2. On the East curb beginning at the North curb line of Fourth Street at an elevation of 917.5 feet, sea level datum; thence descending 2.155 feet per hundred feet a distance of 116.0 feet to an elevation of 915.0 feet.

Sec. 3. On the West curb beginning at the North curb line of Fourth Street at an elevation of 918.0 feet; thence descending 2.59 feet per hundred feet a distance of 116.0 feet to an elevation of 915 0 feet.

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts thereof conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this ..... day of August, 1913.

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President of Council.

Attest:

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Clerk.

Examined and approved by me this..... day of August, 1913.

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Burgess.

Attest:

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Clerk.

NOTICE.

Any objections to the above ordinance may be made to the Borough Council at a meeting to be held in the Borough Building ...., 1913, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

.....
Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. .....

Establishing or Re-establishing the Grade of Fourth Street Between Crest Avenue and Oakland Avenue in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania

Be it Ordained and Enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same:

Section 1. That the grade of Fourth Street be and the same is hereby established and fixed as follows:

Sec. 2. Beginning at the East curb line of Crest Avenue at an elevation of 917.5 feet, sea level datum; thence ascending 2.50 feet per hundred feet for 20 feet to the West curb line of Crest Avenue at an elevation of 918.0 feet; thence ascending 6.364 feet per hundred feet a distance of 275.0 feet to the East curb of Meadow Avenue at an elevation of 935.5 feet; Thence ascending 2.08 feet per hundred feet a distance of 24 feet to the West curb line of Meadow avenue at an elevation of 936.0 feet; thence ascending 13.90 feet per hundred feet for 241.0 feet to an elevation of 969.5 feet at the East Curb line of Shady Avenue; thence ascending 10 feet per hundred feet for 20 feet to the West Curb line of Shady Avenue at an elevation of 971.5 feet; thence ascending 16.484 feet per hundred feet a distance of 300.3 feet to an elevation of 1021.0 feet at the East Curb of Oakland Avenue; thence ascending 10 feet per hundred feet a distance of 20 feet to an elevation of 1023.0 feet at the West curb of Oakland Avenue.

Sec. 3. That the grade of both curbs be the same as herein described.

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts thereof conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this ..... day of August, 1913.

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President of Council.

Attest:

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Clerk.

Examined and approved by me this..... day of August, 1913.

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Burgess.

Attest:

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Clerk.

NOTICE.

Any objections to the above ordinance may be made to the Borough Council at a meeting to be held in the Borough Building ....., 1913, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

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Clerk.

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SAYS ALL WOMEN ARE LIARS

German Diplomat, Who Got the "Mitten," Declares Fair Sex Deficient Morally.

"All women are liars and are deficient in their sense of moral duty."

This and more is the opinion of Baron Herrmann von Kuhlmann of Bavaria, unmarried and attached to German embassy at Pekin, who arrived on the Chiyo Maru recently.

According to fellow passengers, the baron formed his views on the voyage when his attentions to Miss Katherine Enright of Chicago did not meet with hearty response.

"A woman cannot recognize the same moral responsibility as a man," said the baron. "No marriage can remain a happy one for more than a year. By that time a man will lose faith in his wife."

Then, turning to Miss Enright, the baron said:

"We have had a pleasant trip. But to have you for a wife if I could—never! You are too energetic."

Returning to the interview, the baron continued:

"Woman is illogical and untrustworthy. She changes her mind too frequently. Woman has no feeling requiring her to tell the truth. In Germany a man and wife are comrades, but in America—never. Here the women are proud and selfish and the men suffer for it."

Advice About Reading.

Be sure, then, to read no mean books; shun the spawn of the press in the gossip of the hour. Do not read what you shall learn, without asking, in the street and the train. Dr. Johnson said he "always went into stately shops," and good travelers stop at the best hotels; for though they cost more they do not cost much more, and there is the good company and the best information. In like manner the scholar knows that the famous books contain, first and last, the best thoughts and facts. . . . The three practical rules, then, which I have to offer are (1) Never read any book that is not a year old. (2) Never read any but famed books. (3) Never read any but what you like.—Emerson

Took First Position.

Mr. William Milligan Sloane, "Seth Low" professor of history at Columbia university, in an interview with the London Daily Mail correspondent, said: "I understand that a certain Berlin correspondent of a New York newspaper received a cablegram from his editor which read, 'Don't send much war news; world's baseball series now on!'"

Course Not.

"Did he kiss you when he proposed? "Certainly; I wouldn't consider any but sealed proposals."

First Bear Dance.

What, though I am obliged to dance a bear, a man may be a gentleman for all that.—She Stoops to Conquer.

William I. Berryman, Attorney at Law, 337 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburg, Penn'a.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of James D. Wilson, deceased, late of Washington County, Pennsylvania, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediat paymnt, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay.

William R. McKean,
Administrator c. t. a.

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Right Who Deserve Slaps.

Right men who deserve to be slapped on the face: He who despises a man of power; he who enters a house uninvited and unwelcomed; he who gives orders in a house not his own; he who takes a seat above his position; he who speaks to one who does not listen to him; he who intrudes on the conversation of others; he who seeks favors from the ungenerous; and he who expects love from his enemies.—From a Persian Saying.

Real Test.

There is something finer than to do right against inclination, and that is to have an inclination to do right. There is something nobler than reluctant obedience, and that is joyful obedience. The rank of virtue is not measured by its disagreeableness, but by its sweetness to the heart that loves it. The real test of character is joy. For what you rejoice in, that you love. And what you love, that you are like.—Henry van Dyke.

Be Careful in Speech.

If in our speech we would need consider how our words will affect those to whom they are spoken—if we would try to hear them with their ears and consider how they accept in their hearts, there would not be much passionate or unadvised speech; certainly there would be few spirits wounded or lives embittered by the words of our lips.—W. G. Horder.

Accentuating Plant Characters.

It has been found that under red light (light through red glass) plants become more robust than in any other. They also become more pronounced in their chief characters—the leafy plant becomes more leafy, all shades of green become more pronounced, the sensitive plant more sensitive and all in every way become highly specialized.

Pigeon Descended Chimney.

When a resident in the London road, Reading, England, came downstairs recently, he found perched on the top bar of the grate in the drawing-room a pigeon which had come down the chimney. It had brought with it a considerable quantity of soot. When the occupier opened the windows the pigeon made its escape.

Food Kept Warm.

A flatiron stand will be found useful on the range to keep the contents of a saucepan warm without danger of burning, says the Indianapolis News. It is also useful when one desires food to simmer; there is then no fear of sticking or burning on a hot stove.

Unfortunate English.

The general impression that the Englishman's life is rather prosy is supported by the statement of a Londoner who visited at Clay Center. He said he never had tasted fried chicken or strawberry shortcake, the two being unknown to the culinary art in his country.—Kansas City Star.

"Bait" Was Good.

"How did you come to buy that worthless mining stock?" "Well, you see, I thought it was all right. The man who sold it to me had mahogany furniture in his office, tall brass cuspidors and a swell rug on his floor."—Detroit Free Press.

Adam's Satisfaction.

Adam was surveying the animals he was called upon to name. He smiled with satisfaction as he remarked: "Whatever else may happen, there never will be a shortage in the supply of party emblems."

Ideals the Guiding Star.

Ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands. But, like the seafaring man on deserts of water, you choose them as your guides, and following them reach your destiny.—Carl Schurz.

All Have a Duty.

Every man or woman is one of mankind's dear possessions; to his or her just brain, and kind heart and active hands, mankind intrusts some of its hopes for the future.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Changing Hues.

"You are in love with a blonde," remarked the fortune teller, "but after you marry her, beware of a brunette who—" "No danger," remarked the patron; "it's the same woman."—The Ladies' World.

The Average Man.

The average man will hurry to a veterinary when his pet dog gets sick, but he is willing to rely on almost any kind of "dope" when he isn't feeling well himself.

Improved Safety Razor.

The principle of the double-bladed plane has been applied to safety razors, so that the operator shaves with two blades at the same time.

Little Satisfaction.

A mummy gets blamed little satisfaction from winning the endurance prize.—Atchison Globe.

Evil of Inelegancy.

Of all the evil spirits abroad at this hour in the world, inelegancy is the most impotent.—Ruskin.

QUEER FACTS ABOUT MONEY

Average Lifetime of Various Denominations of Paper Currency Differs Considerably.

The average lifetime of the different denominations of United States paper currency differs considerably; that of the $1 silver certificate, for instance, being a trifle over one year; the $5 silver certificate, 1.9 years; the $10 gold certifictae 1.68 years; $20 gold certificate, 1.9 years, etc. The number of pieces of United States paper currency in circulation is gradually increasing and numbered 327,329,159 on June 30, 1912. There were 273,426,336 pieces of United States currency redeemed during the same period, which exceeded by 6,218,415 the number of pieces issued the preceding year. The increasing growth in redemptions is due primarily to the growth in business activities, the publicity given to uncleanliness and alleged insanitation of soiled notes, and the consequent demand for cleaner money; the growing practice of payment of wages in factories, shops, etc., weekly and bi-weekly, as compared with monthly; and growing popularity of paper money in sections where silver was formerly in the greatest demand, etc.—Leslie's Weekly.

UNIQUE EXAMPLE OF LOYALTY

Popular Daughter of Prominent Chinese Official Is Married to Large Red Vase.

Not long ago considerable commotion was caused in the Chinese city of Hankow when the attractive and popular daughter of a prominent Chinese official was married with great pomp and ceremony to a large red vase which was supposed to represent a deceased bridegroom who had died a few years before his marriage. Whereupon his grief-stricken bride-elect declared that she would never marry any one else, but would devote herself as a widow for the rest of her life to the family of her husband. In order to do this, however, it was necessary that she should legally belong to that family and so the strange ceremony with the vase was gone through with to enable her to become a member of the family. Since then it has been suggested that an arch should be built in the city in order to commemorate the devotion of the young girl to the husband she never had.

China Market for Hats.

Men who have wondered what becomes of the large stocks of hats, caps and clothing that remain unsold at the close of each season in this country will be interested to learn that a considerable portion of such stock is disposed of in China, where the men are adopting the dress of their western brothers. The rising generation of Chinese is particularly keen for headgear worn in America, but the styles seen there are always those that were in vogue in this country the year before.

Much of the men's apparel that fails to find a market in this country finds its way to the far east. In a walk through the streets of any Chinese city one sees derbies, fedoras and caps that bear an American label. Most of the caps are of British make because many of the tourists come from London, and in selecting a cap the native has no guide except the headgear he sees on foreigners.

Coal and the X-Ray.

It is now believed that the mystery of the formation and constitution of coal, which has long puzzled students, will be solved by means of the X-ray.

According to a French scientific journal, there are two or three kinds of ash in coals: First, the foreign matter carried by the wind or the rain into the forests that gave rise to the coal. Next there is the mineral matter that forms part of living plants. Finally, there is generally more or less mineral matter due to the formation of new compounds by the decomposition of the first two kinds of ash. The examination of coal with the X-rays will probably lead to a possible distinction between these three forms of ash, and will thus contribute to throw light on the formation of veins.

Bottle-Fed Fruit.

Bottle feeding is the latest wrinkle in the growing of the enormous winter hothouse fruit, and it has increased the fruit's size and sweetness 30 or 50 per cent. Peaches and pears are like pumpkins; grapes and strawberries like apples.

When a peach or a pear is young and green and hard, the gardener passes through it a needle and thread of coarse cotton, leaving both thread ends sticking out. He does this till eight or ten ends are obtained. These ends he puts into bottles of sugar and water syrup, and the syrup, flowing along the cotton, is absorbed by the fruit, sucked up by it—sucked up as babes suck up milk—the fruit, in a word, is bottle-fed.

Leasing It Out.

"The horse is superior to the auto mobile at every point."

"Nonsense. You can't name a point."

"Well, for one thing, you can eat horse meat. Thousands do."

"I've tried it. I'd just as soon have a piece of rubber tire with gasoline sauce."

Secret No Longer.

Murphy—So that great inventor is dead and his wonderful secret is lost—

Newlife—Not at all. He told it to his wife just before he died.

Murphy—Yes, that's what I mean—Blue Bird.

In your hand you hold a five-cent piece.

Right at the grocer's hand is a moisture-proof package of Uneeda Biscuit. He hands you the package—you hand him the coin. A trifling transaction?

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YELLOW POWDER IN FASHION

Women of France Now Affect Complexion Showing a Suggestion of Sunburn.

This is the day of the yellow complexion in France. Gone is the fashion of the pearl white powder with which the French woman used to cover her face, achieving a peaches and cream effect or more often a chalky and interesting pallor. Now, to be really in the mode, a woman must use a yellow powder which gives the skin a slight suggestion of sunburn, a good healthy look which might have been brought back from the Swiss mountains or the Egyptian deserts.

One sees this yellow powder used everywhere, at the opera and the theater, in the drawing room and in the Bois de Boulogne, while the grisettes and the little ladies of Montmartre and St. Michelle, quick to follow the fashions, are also adopting it. There is much discussion as to how such a fashion started. The favorite explanation is that a certain professional beauty whose skin refused the pearl powder and delicate pink rouge finally resigned herself to using the yellow powder and appearing healthy and sunburned, and she looked so charming that she started the vogue of the yellow skin, which all Paris is following.

Classified.

"My precious lamb," said the new parson to the little girl, "I fear me your father is one of those wayward sheep, long strayed from the fold." "Dad's not a sheep," smiled the little girl. "He's a Bull Moose!"—Judge.

Altogether Too Desirable.

Dobbs—So you're living in the country, eh! What kind of neighbors have you? Are they desirable? Hobbs—Desirable! Great Scott, we haven't a thing they don't desire, especially in the way of gardening implements.

FACTS ABOUT THE GIFT COW

Writer, Evidently Having Had Some Experience, Writes Bitter Things Concerning Animal in Question.

Already putting up the bars against presents, which, and often in the queerest forms, are sure to be offered or even sent without permission to a president by so many of the generous, easy, careless—should we add "irresponsible"—American tribe, Governor Wilson is said to have warned or shooed away the cow which a middle western farmer sought to give him. According to the dispatches the governor will make it a rule to refuse "valuable" gifts.

The rule is none of our business but is a cow, aye, though she be a milky Orsini or Colonna, "valuable" in the hands of an innocent third party, not bucolic in his habits? How many blameless urban souls have pined for the greenwood tree and a horned Amaryllis in the shade there of. How many of them have begged bought, mortgaged, stolen and got their little patch of land and stocked it with a cow, "fancy" or otherwise in price always "fancy," too often the gift of a pretended friend or ma[illegible] was this racy[illegible] beast of their dreams "valuable" to them? Was it not rather a responsibility, a cause of continual trouble and expense?

The cow moos all day, if kept at home, and a decent regard for the neighbors forces the amateur to drive the danged thing afield. He can't feed it or milk it, he has to hire a man, usually incompetent, to chaperon it to and from the pasture, attend to its board, milk it, telephone for the "vet" now and then. The cow caretaker doesn't know his business. The gift cow knows he doesn't know his business. And milk is not one of the gifts of the cow. The cow is always getting you into hot water. You can't sell it or give it away to an enemy. You don't dare to shoot it. You have to pass that cow's life in lying to the giver.

Governor Wilson does well to buy his milk. He would have to buy it just the same if he had a gift cow.—New York Sun.

Cape Smoke.

The chiefs of Basutoland and Bechuanaland demand prohibition, and take care that it is secured to their people. But nevertheless the brandy party of the Cape Colony leaves no stone unturned to promote the sale of "cape smoke" and wine sufficiently strengthened to suit the native taste. Nothing can be more fallacious or hypocritical than to speak of the native being supplied with "light wines." The native wants something with a "bite" in it, and is not satisfied with any intoxicant which does not proceed down his throat "like a torchlight procession."

Within the last three months there were at one time no fewer than 1,500 persons in the Johannesburg jails charged with illicit selling of intoxicants. The crime is that of giving veritable poison to natives—all at a price frequently of ten shillings a bottle. The punishment for this lucrative and murderous traffic is, Mr. Wilmot contends, "absolutely preposterous," and after some months of easy prison life the brazen traffickers returns to his easy method of making money.

His Part in the Affair.

"Your son-in-law has a title." "Yes," replied the patient father; "but I am the one who is furnishing the expensive binding material and the gilt decoration."—Buffalo Commercial.

Developing Great Industry.

The steel entering into the manufacture of automobile wheels during last year amounted to 15,000 tons in this country alone.

The Greatest Woman.

Who was or is the greatest woman in all history? Two hundred Kansas teachers answered the question and with enthusiasm and unanimity the judges awarded the prize to the one who made this reply: "The wife of the farmer of moderate means who does her own cooking, washing, ironing, sewing, brings up a family of boys and girls to be useful members of society, and finds time for intellectual improvement."

Courage Makes Success.

Many a man has dried up in a little wayside opportunity, merely because he lacked the courage to acknowledge to himself that his judgment had landed him in the wrong spot. Fortune disdains mere ability—brute is nothing without bravery. The man who can be thrashed by a sneer has yet created before he is defeated.—Elbert Hubbard.

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Parental Problems.

Where a whipping may improve one boy it will create a grudge and a thirst for revenge in another. Parents have several problems besides making a living.—Atchison Globe.

Uncle Pennywise.

Uncle Pennywise says: "I don't suppose a rich woman feels any particular gratification when she gets a new pair of shoes."—Kansas City Journal.

Point of View.

"Say, pa, what is the difference between a visit and a visitation?" Fond Father—A visit, my boy, is when you go to see your Grandmother Jones, and a visitation is when your Grandmother Jones comes to see us.

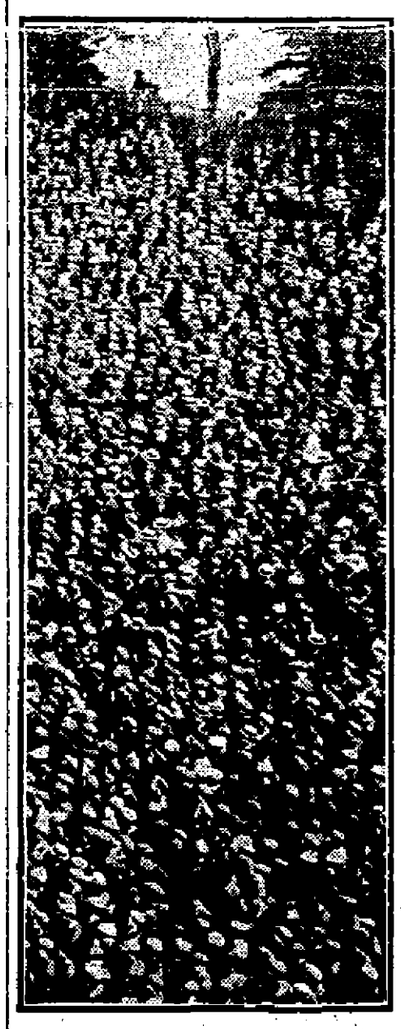
Who Is She?

We are willing to admit that chrysanthemums were never more beautiful than now. Even a head of cabbage would be beautiful if a pretty girl wore it for a bouquet.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Cultivate Sense of Humor.

A sense of humor is certainly the salt of life, either of the married variety or the plain, single existence. It certainly helps a wife to laugh off many a little bruise that otherwise would grow into a festering sore. To see the funny side of many of the trivial annoyances of life at the time they happen certainly eases the situation.

SEE THE CROWD?



You could not spare the time to talk to each of them personally, but you can talk to as many or more by using our advertising columns. And you can address each of them confidentially and at a time that he will listen attentively to what you say.

We are using this space now to tell all these people that we do

ALL SORTS OF PRINTING

MARRIED TUESDAY; TAKING TRIP NOW

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formerly lived with her parents at Roscoe.

Mr. Pfleghardt is one of the leading furniture men of the Monongahela valley. He has been located for some years in Charleroi and conducts a large furniture house on Fallowfield avenue.

RAILROAD MEN TAKING TRIP OVER DIVISION

Fifty-four agents of the Monongahela division and other railroad men of the P. R. R. are in the party which today is taking a tour over a section of the division in lieu of the regular quarterly meeting of agents. The party stopped for lunch at the Wilbur hotel This morning the party visited the machine shops at Mesta and the Clairton steel mills. This afternoon a tour of inspection was taken through the Macbeth-Evans glass plant and the party left for Donora to visit at the steel works there.

Among those in the party were A. G. Mitchell, superintendent of the Monongahela division and representatives of the Philadelphia office.

To Preserve Home of George Fox.

Swarthmoor hall, near Ulverston, Lancashire (Eng.) formerly the home of George Fox, founder of the Society of Friends, was bought at Ulverston, a short time ago, on behalf of the English members of the society for £5,250. His writing desk was bought for 26 guineas.

The Merry Advertiser.

Who says there is no more any genuine English humor? A provision dealer in Earl's court neighborhood, London, displays this on a window sign: "When visiting Shakespeare's England, eat England's Bacon."

Classified Ads

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Must be good cook and laundress. Family of two, 613 Crest avenue. 6-t3

WANTED—Four teams at once. Steady work, 65 cents an hour. Call Booth and Flinn, Ltd., at Beallsville, Bell phone, between 7 and 8 p. m. 7-t2

FOR RENT—Store room. Inquire 813 McKean avenue. 8-t3p

LOST—One roll pictures left on 10:12 car to Allenport. Suitable reward of left at this office. 8-t2p

LOST—Silver rimmed belt pin with black and white stone. Leave at Allen's Grocery, 8th and McKean 8-t1

UNION SERVICES ARE ANNOUNCED

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sevices will be held in the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, and Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church will preach.

August 17 the union service will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church with the sermon by Rev. E. G. Stanley of the Baptist church. On August 24, Rev. C. P. Bastian of the Lutheran church will preach at services held at the Christian church. The last Sunday of the month will be August 31, and Rev. John R. Buson pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will preach at Christ Lutheran church.

The choir of the several churches will render special music in turn. It is also planned to have young people's organizations hold union meetings.

RACING PROGRAM

Sandy Plains Fair Association

MILLSBORO, PA.

Tuesday, July 29th, 1913

No. 1. Running race, 4 1-2 Furlongs $100
No. 2. Running race, 6 1-2 Furlongs $100
No. 3. Horses never started for money (mixed) $200
No. 4. Colt race, 3 year old and under (mixed) $200

Wednesday, July 30th

No. 5. 2:30 pace $200
No. 6. 2:20 Trot $250
No. 7. 2:17 Pace $250
No. 8. Mile Running race.....$100

Thursday, July 31st

No. 9. 2:30 Trot.....$200
No. 10. 2:15 Trot $300
No. 11. 2:13 Pace $300
No. 12. 3-4 mile consolation race for Running Horses not winning first or second money in former races $75.

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